

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMEMBASSY MANAMA  
TO AMEMBASSY AMMAN  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6303  
AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI  
AMEMBASSY BEIRUT  
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AMEMBASSY DOHA  
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AMEMBASSY KUWAIT  
AMEMBASSY MUSCAT  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR, XF  
SUBJECT: JOINT AIR SERVICE TO U.S.

1. GULF DAILY NEWS OF JUNE 15 CARRIED SHORT ARTICLE  
STATING THAT ARAB AIR CARRIERS (AAC) ORGANIZATION  
WAS SENDING DELEGATION COMPOSED OF ALIA CHAIRMAN AND SEC-GEN  
OF AAC TO U.S. TO DISCUSS ADDITIONAL FLIGHTS FROM  
AMMAN TO NEW YORK. ARTICLE CLAIMS THAT IF CAB GRANTS  
PERMISSION FOR FREQUENCY INCREASE FROM PRESENT TWO FLIGHTS  
AMMAN/NEW YORK WEEKLY TO FOUR, MEA AND KUWAIT AIR WILL  
JOIN ALIA AND SYRIAN AIR IN COMBINED SERVICE VIA AMMAN  
USING 747 AIRCRAFT. THE WRITER BELIEVED THAT SAUDIA  
AND GULF AIR MIGHT LATER JOIN SUCH A CONSORTIUM IF IT  
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PROVES SUCCESSFUL. THE ARTICLE SAYS THAT ALIA IS ALSO  
TRYING TO ARRANGE A SIMILAR ARRANGEMENT FOR ITS RECENTLY  
ACQUIRED RIGHTS TO SOUTH AMERICAN VIA WEST AFRICA.

2. DOES EMBASSY AMMAN HAVE ANY CONFIRMATION OF THIS  
LATEST MOVE FOR JOINT ARAB SERVICES TO NEW YORK?  
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